## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA RICHMOND DIVISION

JAMES RYALS, Jr. et als.,	)	
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Plaintiffs,	)	
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V.	)	Civil Action No. 3:09cv625
HIRERIGHT SOLUTIONS, INC., et al.,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

## **CLASS COUNSEL'S REQUEST FOR CLARIFICATION**

On October 31, 2011, Class Counsel moved for an award of attorneys fees and costs. (Docket No. 108). The Court has now ordered such attorneys fees:

Accordingly, the Court FINDS that an award of \$5,958,750.00 or 21% of the total cash value is reasonable and merited by the exceptional work of Plaintiff's counsel.

Docket No. 122 at 2. Plaintiff's counsel, obviously, would prefer to interpret this award – for their 'work' – to compensate their attorneys fees incurred. However, in addition the Plaintiffs have incurred actual hard expenses paid or to be paid to third parties in the amount of \$116,763.65 (Docket No. 118 at 4).

Plaintiffs' counsel asks the Court to clarify today's Order to add a sentence to the preceding paragraph such that it states:

Accordingly, the Court FINDS that an award of \$5,958,750.00 or 21% of the total cash value is reasonable and merited by the exceptional work of Plaintiff's counsel. Payment of expenses is also approved in the amount of \$116,763.65.

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2011, I will electronically file the foregoing with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system, which will then send notification of such filing (NEF) to the following:

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